

CO-COMMUNITY CLEANUP



Dear Community Member,

We'd love for you to join us in the annual Co-Community Cleanup with the Cities of Kimberley and Cranbrook!

As a lead-up to Earth Day, the City of Kimberley, the City of Cranbrook, Mountain Phoenix Community Culture, and Wildsight Kimberley Cranbrook are hosting an event aimed at unifying residents, schools, and organizations in rejuvenating our community neighbourhoods, green spaces, and urban engagement areas. This all-ages event is a fantastic opportunity to get outdoors, team up with family and friends, and do our part as one community coming together to remove the garbage that accumulates throughout the winter season.

Community Cleanups offer a great opportunity for team building for a variety of reasons, such as encouraging physical activity, responsibility, cooperation, connection with nature, and building a sense of pride in the work that has been accomplished.

There are three ways to get involved:

1. **KIMBERLEY** — Team up with your business, friends, family, or school between April 15-19 to clean up an area of your choosing. Contact Pam Walsh at the City of Kimberley to receive bags and identify your route. PWalsh@kimberley.ca or 250-427-9653.
2. **CRANBROOK** — With the return of spring, the City of Cranbrook is asking residents and businesses to join in the Springtime Spruce Up Cranbrook Campaign from April 15-19. Email corinna.hrehirchuk@cranbrook.ca or call 250-489-0220 to be provided with bags and a route!
3. **BOTH** — Meet at the corresponding location (listed below) by 10:00 am on Saturday, April 20, to receive routes and garbage bags for the final cleanup push! Whether you'd like to participate as part of a team or individually, we recommend signing up in advance.

Please see the reverse side of this letter for further event details and registration.

We look forward to coming together for cleaner communities!

Sincerely,
Your community team

For questions, please contact kimcran@wildsight.ca or 250-427-2535

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Event Details

Date: Saturday, April 20, 2024

Time: Arrive by 10:00am, group meeting to start at 10:05am, wrap-up by 1:00pm

Kimberley Location: Centennial Centre (100 4th Ave, Kimberley)

Cranbrook Location: Western Financial Place (1777 2 St N, Cranbrook)

Register at: wildsight.ca/cocommunitycleanup

Things to know:

- We strongly recommend that you bring your own durable gloves.
- Garbage bags will be available.
- Dress appropriately for the weather and bring lots of water!
- Wear bright clothing for better roadside visibility.
- Please consider walking, biking, or carpooling to the meeting location.

There will be prizes available for:

- The most unique garbage found
- The most garbage collected
- The most visible/colourful team

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